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For the Year Ending December 31, 1953

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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

Selectmen and Treasurer

OF THE

TOWN OF SALISBURY

together with reports of the

Road Agents and Other Officers

of the Town

FOR THE

Year Ending December 31, 1953

Also

Vital Statistics for Year Ending

December 31, 1953

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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR

George B. Adams

SELECTMEN

Aram G. Gulumian — George E. Beauly
George H. Lovejoy

TOWN CLERK

Charles E. Whittemore

TREASURER

Norma C. Lovejoy

TAX COLLECTOR

Fred W. Holmes

SUPERVISORS

Frederick L. Adams — Arthur J. Schaefer
Russell Benedict

POLICE OFFICER

Joseph Heath

ROAD SUPERVISORS

District 1—Bernard shaw
District 2—Clyde Bickford
District 3—Ray Prince, Jr.
District 4—Harley Shaw
District 5—Charles S. Cornwell
District 6—Shirley B. Sanborn

BOARD OF HEALTH

Ellen Lively

AUDITOR

Alfred H. Sawyer

BALLOT INSPECTORS

George C. Emerson — Emily Billings

Sherman P. Fellows

SCHOOL BOARD

William Morison — Freida Bork

Norma C. Lovejoy

SCHOOL TREASURER

Rose Lessard

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Henrietta Splain — Rose Lessard

Mary Morison

LIBRARIAN

Katherine Porter

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Fred S. Prince — George B. Adams

Carl Mussey

FIRE COMMISSIONERS

Arthur Schaefer — Ray H. Prince, Sr.

Charles Cornwell — Wesley Chellman

Ernest Fogarty

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Elmer M. Hunt, Chairman

Elmer M. Hunt, '53 — Robert Cunliffe, '54

Herbert L. Turner, '53 — Clarence Ketchum, '54

George A. Bork, '53 — Sydney Clarke, '54

Alfred H. Sawyer, '55

William B. Dunlap, '55

Ray H. Prince, Jr., '55

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Salisbury in the county of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. S.]

Polls will be open 10:00 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Salisbury on Tuesday, the 9th day of March next, at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.

3. To elect one Selectman for three years.

4. To see if the Town will vote to accept the budget as submitted by the Budget Committee.

5. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for the Town Budget.

6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen and Town Treasurer to borrow money on notes of the Town in anticipation of taxes.

7. To hear reports of agents, auditors and officers heretofore chosen.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the control of White Pine Blister Rust (Estimate $400.00).

9. To see if the Town will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such an audit (Estimate $200.00).

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of $150.00 for the Franklin Hospital,

11. To see if the Town will vote to use $1,500.00 of the Capital Reserve Fund interest for road maintenance in the flood control basin.

12. To see if the Town will authorize the election of a Fire Chief and Assistant Fire Chief to take charge of the Fire Department, these to be chosen for the current year by the Selectmen and thereafter at the Town meeting to serve for one year as a town officer, performing all duties heretofore ascribed to the board of fire commissioners, which are hereby discontinued.

13. Also that the annual remuneration of the said Fire Chief and Assistant be set at an amount to be appropriated by the Town, the same for the current year to be $100.00 for the Chief and for the assistant to be $50.00, and the same to be hereafter determined by the Selectmen to whom both shall be directly responsible.

14. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $6,000.00 for the building and raising about 1600 feet of road in the Flood control area, from Scribner's Corner to Couch Town Road, "so-called." And to see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to draw $2500.00 of the interest in the Capital Reserve Funds from the Trustees of Trust Funds, and to raise the remaining $3500.00 by issuing serial notes of $1000.00 or less, first note to mature in 1955.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) to be used

to put in a 3-inch thick, 18-feet wide, mixed-in-place asphalt road on the construction done in West Salisbury 1000 feet in length from the Bay road to the former Beaudet place, and also include the road around the front of the old store.

16. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-four.

ARAM G. GULUMIAN

GEORGE E. BEAULY

GEORGE H. LOVEJOY

Selectmen of Salisbury

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ARAM G. GULUMIAN

GEORGE E. BEAULY

GEORGE H. LOVEJOY

Selectmen of Salisbury

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF SALISBURY
NEW HAMPSHIRE

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1954 to December 31, 1954 Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1953	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1953	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1954
From State:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	$145.19	$141.55	$141.55
Railroad Tax	.23	.22	.22
Savings Bank Tax	52.15	58.80	58.80
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal forest lands	91.74		180.00
Reimbursement a/c Exemption of Growing Wood and Timber	1,186.62	1,186.62	1,186.62
Flood Control Tax	2,312.11	2,312.11	2,312.11
For Fighting Forest Fires		480.47	142.45
Welfare Dept.	44.34	44.00	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		663.72	
Gas Tax Reimbursement	27.09	26.91	26.91
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	145.00	141.90	141.90
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	7.50	6.00	6.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	10.00	29.00	10.00
White Pine Blister Rust Refund		7.20	
Flood Control Refund		247.74	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	1,260.00	1,398.17	1,200.00
Sale of Town Property, Grader		25.00	
Withdrawals from Capital Reserve Funds	1,500.00	1,500.00	2,500.00
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:			
Highway Construction			3,500.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
Poll Taxes—Regular @ $2	384.00	396.00	396.00
Total Revenues from All Sources Except Property Taxes	$7,165.97	$8,665.41	$11,660.11
Amount to be Raised by Prop. Taxes			$28,087.57
Total Revenues			$39,747.68

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1953	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1953	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1954
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
General Government:			
Town Officers' Salaries	$675.00	$640.91	$675.00
Town Officers' Expenses	750.00	900.32	1,300.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00	92.26	250.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	1,000.00	906.82	550.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	50.00	12.82	50.00
Fire Department	900.00	1,765.97	600.00
Moth Exterm., Blister Rust and Care of Trees	400.00	400.00	400.00
Civil Defense	50.00		50.00
Health:	50.00	31.56	50.00
Health Department, Incl. Hospitals	150.00	150.00	150.00
Town Dump	50.00	35.00	200.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,500.00	2,429.26	2,500.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,500.00	2,132.10	2,500.00
Street Lighting	750.00	756.04	775.00
General Expenses of Highway Department	2,000.00	2,159.32	2,000.00
Libraries	100.00	99.32	100.00
Public Welfare:			
Town Poor	500.00	306.91	500.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	2,598.61	2,500.00
Recreation:			
Parks and Playground, Including Band Concerts	100.00	22.77	100.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	300.00	408.92	300.00
Unclassified	400.00	388.00	400.00
Employees' Retirement and Social Security	100.00	88.31	100.00
Interest	210.00	162.00	150.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Construction	1,000.00	956.90	* 6,000.00
State Aid Construction—Town's Share	639.78	639.78	588.74
Payment on Principal of Debt:			
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:			
County Taxes	1,756.68	1,756.68	2,196.10
School Taxes	14,110.32	13,690.00	13,762.84
Total Expenditures	$34,641.78	$24,530.58	$39,747.68

*A $500 proposed appropriation in this classification is submitted without recommendation by the budget committee.

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY—1953

Land and Buildings	$319.990.00
Electric Plants	152,033.00
34 Horses	1,700.00
4 Oxen	700.00
148 Cows	11,085.00
23 Neat Stock	1,885.00
64 Sheep and Goats	640.00
11,127 Fowl	10,487.00
Portable Mill	2,000.00
Wood and Lumber	6,705.50
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,050.00
Stock in Trade	2,573.00
Mills and Machinery	3,500.00
	$514,348.50
Soldiers' Exemptions	34,195.00
	$480,153.50
Number of veterans' property exemptions	32
No. of veterans' Poll Tax exemptions	44
Poll Taxes 192	$384.00
Total Revenues and Credits	$6,806.97
Overlay	$438.84
Rate of Tax per $100, $5.56	

APPROPRIATIONS

1953

General Government:	
Town Officers' Salaries	$675.00
Town Officers' Expenses	750.00
Election and Registration Expenses	100.00
Town Hall and other Buildings	1,000.00
Social Security	100.00
Protection of Persons and Property:	
Police Department	50.00
Fire Department	900.00
Blister Rust	400.00
Civilian Defense	50.00
Health:	
Health Department	50.00
Franklin Hospital	150.00
Town Dump	50.00
Highways and Bridges:	
Town Maintenance (Summer)	2,500.00
Town Maintenance (Winter)	2,500.00
Street Lights	750.00
General Expense of Highways	2,000.00
New Construction	1,000.00
State Aid Construction, Town's Share	639.78
Library	100.00
Public Welfare:	
Town Poor	500.00
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00
Playgrounds	100.00
Unclassified	400.00
Cemeteries	300.00
Interest	210.00
Payment Principal of Debt	1,000.00
Payment to other Governmental Divisions:	
County Tax	1,756.88
School Tax	12,917.00

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT
OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1953

	Appropriations	Expended	Receipts and Refunds	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries'	$675.00	$640.91		$34.09	
Town Officers' Expenses	750.00	900.32			150.32
Election and Registration	100.00	92.26		7.74	
Town Hall and other Bldgs.	1,000.00	906.82	25.00	93.18	
Police Department	50.00	12.82		37.18	
Fire Department	900.00	1,765.97	480.47		865.97
Blister Rust	400.00	400.00	7.20		
Health Department	50.00	31.56		18.44	
Franklin Hospital	150.00	150.00			
Town Maintenance, Summer	2,500.00	2,429.26		70.74	
Town Maintenance, Winter	2,500.00	2,132.10		367.90	
Street Lights	750.00	756.04			6.04
General Expense of Highway	2,000.00	2,159.32	54.00		159.32
Library	100.00	99.32		.68	
Town Poor	500.00	306.91	44.00	193.09	
Old Age Assistance	2,500.00	2,598.61	663.72		98.61
Unclassified	400.00	388.00		12.00	
State Aid Const., Town's Share	639.78	639.78			
Civilian Defense	50.00			50.00	
Cemeteries	300.00	408.92			108.92
Long Term Notes	1,000.00	1,000.00			
Interest	210.00	162.00		48.00	
Playground	100.00	22.77		77.23	
New Construction	1,000.00	956.90		43.10	
County Tax	1,756.88	1,756.88			
Social Security	100.00	88.31		11.69	
Totals	$20,481.66	$20,805.78	$1,274.39	$1,065.06	$1,389.18

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Assets

Cash in hand of Treasurer	$6,299.71	
Uncollected Taxes	2,819.35	
Unredeemed Taxes	237.49	
Uncollected Yield Tax	1,380.22	
Uncollected Head Tax	255.00	
Bounties	66.50	
Forest Fires	128.00	
State Forest Land Tax, 1953	92.14	
Capital Reserve Fund and Interest	61,383.50	
		$72,661.91

Liabilities

Note (Fire Truck)	1,000.00
School District:	
Balance of appropriation	8,917.00
Head Tax—1953	255.00
Capital Reserve Fund and Interest	61,383.50
	71,555.50
Net Surplus, Dec. 31, 1953	1,106.41
Net Debt Dec. 31, 1952	1,888.13
Decrease of Debt	781.72

STATEMENT OF BONDED DEBT
TOWN OF SALISBURY

December 31, 1953

Original Amount $4,000.00—1950
Interest 2% (Serial Notes)

	Total Annual Maturities
1954	$1,000.00

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Land and Buildings	$11,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	500.00
Police Equipment	50.00
Fire Department, Building	6,000.00
Fire Trucks and Equipment	4,500.00
Library, Land and Building	2,000.00
Highway Department	4,500.00
Tax Deeds:	
"Fifield Lot" 60 acres	200.00
"Gates Place" 30 acres	200.00
	$28,950.00

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

RECEIPTS

Motor Vehicle Permits issued	$1,398.17	
Filing Fees	4.00	
Dog Licenses	150.00	
Kennel License	12.00	
		$1,564.17
Accounted for as follows:		
Paid to Treasurer, Motor Vehicle Permits	$1,398.17	
Paid to Treasurer, Filing Fees	4.00	
Paid to Selectmen, Dog License and Kennel	141.90	
Paid Wheeler & Clark for Dog Tags	5.90	
71 License Fees @ 20c	14.20	
		$1,564.17

CHARLES E. WHITTEMORE,
Town Clerk.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

1952 Warrant

DR.

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952 Property Tax	$3,220.64	
43 Polls	86.00	
Interest	28.58	
Tax Sales Interest	8.66	
		$3,343.88

CR.

Collected Property Tax	$2,775.49	
39 Polls	78.00	
Interest	28.58	
Sold to Town Prop. Tax	222.85	
2 Polls	4.00	
Interest	8.66	
Paid Treasurer	$3,117.58	
Abated	222.30	
Uncollected 2 Polls	4.00	
		$3,343.88
Also sold to Town Timber Tax	$12.00	
1 Head Tax	5.50	
Paid Treasurer	$17.50	

1953 Warrant

Resident Tax	$12,846.72	
192 Resident Polls	384.00	
Non-Resident Tax	13,849.82	
		$27,080.54
Added 12 Polls	24.00	
Property Tax	2.25	
Interest	.20	
Total Warrant		$27,106.99
Collected Property Tax	$23,969.44	
Collected 159 Polls	318.00	
Interest	.20	
Paid Treasurer		$24,287.64

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT (Continued)

Uncollected Property Tax	$2,616.95	
Uncollected 41 Polls	82.00	
Abated Property Tax	68.11	
Abated 4 Polls	8.00	
Discount	44.29	
		$27,106.99

1952 Head Tax Account

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952—57 @ $5.00	$285.00	
Added 5 @ $5.00	25.00	
Penalties Collected	25.50	
		$335.50
Collected 53 @ $5.00	$265.00	
Penalties Collected	25.50	
Paid Treasurer	290.50	
Abated 9 @ $5.00	45.00	
		$335.50

1953 Head Tax Account

Warrant 236 @ $5.00	$1,180.00	
Added 12 @ $5.00	60.00	
Penalties Collected	10.50	
Total Warrant		$1,250.50
Collected 195 @ $5.00	$975.00	
Penalties Collected	10.50	
Paid Treasurer		$985.50
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953—51 @ $5.00		255.00
Abated 2 @ $5.00		10.00
		$1,250.50

1953 Timber Tax Account

Warrant		$2,334.91
Collected—Paid Treasurer	$962.69	
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953	1,372.22	
		$2,334.91

1952 Timber Tax Account

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952	$57.54	
Interest	.69	
		$58.23
Collected	$57.54	
Interest	.69	
Paid Treasurer		$58.23

1951 Timber Tax Account

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952	$249.61	
Interest	19.52	
		$269.13
Collected	$249.61	
Interest	19.52	
Paid Treasurer		$269.13

1950 Timber Tax Account

Uncollected Dec. 31, 1952	$15.56	
Interest	.50	
		$16.06
Collected	$7.56	
Interest	.50	
Paid Treasurer		$8.06
Uncollected Dec. 31, 1953		8.00
		$16.06

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS TO TREASURER

1953 Warrant	$24,287.64
1952 Warrant	3,117.58
1950 Timber Tax	8.06
1951 Timber Tax	269.13
1952 Timber Tax	58.23
1953 Timber Tax	962.69
1952 Head Tax	290.50
1953 Head Tax	985.50
1951 Tax Paid 1951 Levy	354.24
Tax Paid 1952 Levy	23.85
Received 1951 Levy	2.00
Total Paid Treasurer	$30,359.42

LISTS OF DISCOUNTS AND ABATEMENTS

Abatements

F. Crocker	$2.00	
Sara Huntoon	2.00	
C. McKenzie	2.00	
E. Fredette	2.00	
G. Martin	2.78	
Public Service Co.	33.92	
Transforming Error	31.41	
		$76.11

Discounts

F. Heath	$5.00	
E. Hunt	6.00	
Geo. Lovejoy	6.00	
R. Cunliffe	4.40	
F. S. Prince	4.00	
F. Holmes	2.00	
R. Beaudoin	6.24	
Douglas Campbell	3.00	
E. Robinson	2.25	
C. Ketchum	5.40	
		$44.29
Received Taxes Redeemed 1951 Levy	$354.24	
Received Taxes Redeemed 1952 Levy	23.85	
Paid Treasurer		$378.09
Received 1951 Levy—Paid Treasurer		$2.00

FRED W. HOLMES,
Collector

REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER

Summary of Receipts 1953

Cash on hand January 1, 1953	$6,670.71
From Tax Collector:	
Head Tax	1,276.00
Property and Poll Taxes	27,407.22
Taxes Redeemed	378.09
Timber Taxes	1,298.11
From Town Clerk:	
Filing Fees	4.00
Motor Vehicle Permits	1,398.17
From Selectmen:	
Dog Taxes	141.90
Merrimack County	
Flood Control Receipts	247.74
Pistol Permits	2.00
Sale of Grader	25.00
State of New Hampshire	
Bounties	12.00
Class V Highways	2,143.64
Flood Control Reimbursement	1,186.62
Forest Fire Reimbursement	480.47
Gas Tax Reimbursement	26.91
Interest and Dividend Tax	141.55
Old Age Assistance Reimbursement	663.72
Railroad Tax	.22
Savings Bank Tax	58.80
Welfare Department Refund	44.00
White Pine Blister Rust Refund	7.20
Trustees of Trust Funds	1,500.00
Use of Equipment and Town Hall	54.00
Valley Trust Co. (Notes)	9,000.00
Total Receipts	$54,168.07

Summary of Expenditures for 1953

Orders drawn by the Selectmen	$47,868.36
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1953	6,299.71
Total	$54,168.07

Respectfully submitted,

NORMA C. LOVEJOY,
Town Treasurer

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Received by Selectmen:

Bounties	$12.00
Reimbursement Flood Control Lands	1,186.62
Reimbursement Flood Control Lands Lease	247.74
Reimbursement Class V Highways	2,143.64
Reimbursement Gas Tax	26.91
Refund on Forest Fires	480.47
Refund Old Age Assistance	663.72
Refund State Welfare Department	44.00
Refund Blister Rust	7.20
Refund Capital Reserve Interest	1,500.00
Pistol Permits	2.00
Sale of Grader	25.00
Interest and Dividend Tax	141.55
Railroad Tax	.22
Savings Bank Tax	58.80
Rent of Town Hall and Equipment	54.00
Valley Trust Co. Short Term Notes	9,000.00

Received by Town Clerk:

Auto Permits	1,398.17
Filing Fees	4.00
Dog Tax	141.90

Received by Tax Collector:

1953 Property and Poll Taxes	24,287.44
1952 Property and Poll Taxes	3,284.08
Taxes Redeemed	275.79
Yield Tax	1,262.11
Head Tax	1,250.00
	$47,497.36
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1953	6,670.71
	$54,168.07

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	$640.91
Town Officers' Expenses	900.32
Election and Registration	92.26
Town Hall and Other Buildings	906.82
Police Department	12.82
Fire Department	1,765.97
Health Department	31.56
Blister Rust	400.00
Bounties	66.50
Franklin Hospital	150.00
Town Dump	35.00
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,429.26
Town Maintenance—Winter	2,132.10
Street Lighting	756.04
General Expenses of Highways	2,159.32
Class V Highways	2,130.30
Library	99.32
Town Poor	306.91
Old Age Assistance	2,598.61
Playground	22.77
Cemeteries	408.92
Social Security	164.91
Unclassified	388.00
Yield Tax	22.78
Interest	162.00
Tax by Town	253.01
State Aid Construction, Town's Share	639.78
New Construction	956.90
Short Term Notes	9,000.00
Payment on Principal of Debt	1,000.00
County Tax	1,756.88
Head Tax	1,788.39
School District	13,690.00
	$47,868.36
Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1953	6,299.71
	$54,168.07

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Aram G. Gulumian, Selectman	$125.00	
George E. Beauly, Selectman	125.00	
George H. Lovejoy, Selectman	125.00	
Charles E. Whittemore, Town Clerk	75.00	
Fred W. Holmes, Collector	125.00	
Norma C. Lovejoy, Treasurer	75.00	
		$650.00

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

A. W. Frost, Collector's Bond	$18.80
Katherine A. Crowley, mortgages	18.11
Edson C. Eastman, supplies	53.53
Robert S. Cunliffe, supplies	14.86
Jean M. Shaw, Clerk's Bond	5.00
Charles R. Hardy, dues	2.00
Branham Printing Co., Clerk's Book	4.00
Geo. W. Philbrick, list of estates	.20
H. C. Pichette, refund of Auto Tax	5.17
Eastman Merrill Agency, Trustee's Bonds	70.60
Ernest E. Elliot, scaling	8.00
Eugene S. Daniel, Atty's Fee	10.00
Cragg Bindery, binding	7.44
N. H. Tax Collectors Assoc., dues	3.00
Donald W. Cushing, Atty's Fee	15.50
Charles S. Cornwell, mileage	2.80
Clarence J. Holmes, perambulating	3.00
Sydney Clarke, trip	8.00
Alfred H. Sawyer, Auditor, perambulating	22.00
Assessors' Association, dues	3.00
Journal-Transcript, Inc., supplies	39.70
Valley Trust Co., vouchers	18.50
Norma C. Lovejoy:	
Mileage	104.70
Stamps	6.00
Fred W. Holmes:	
Head Tax fee	19.17
Collector's fee	43.23

Charles C. Whittemore:		
Motor vehicle permits	75.00	
Auto permits	50.00	
Postage and supplies	21.50	
George E. Beauly:		
Assessors' meeting	8.00	
Trips	8.00	
Extra appraising	6.28	
George H. Lovejoy:		
Assessors' meeting	8.00	
Extra appraising	27.50	
Trips	78.77	
Perambulating	7.00	
Aram G. Gulumian:		
Assessors' meeting	8.00	
Trips	39.96	
Extra appraising	27.50	
Perambulating	7.00	
Mileage and postage	21.50	
		$900.32

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Russell Benedict, Supervisor	$25.00	
Arthur Schaefer, Supervisor	24.00	
Home & Community Welfare Com., lunches	10.55	
Journal-Transcript, Inc., Ballots	14.00	
Emily Billings, Ballot Clerk	9.85	
George Emerson, Ballot Clerk	8.86	
		$92.26

TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Concord Electric Co., lights	$13.59
A. Stiller, stove	18.00
Kearsarge Telephone Co., telephone	46.70
C. P. Stevens Co., supplies	5.29
Ralph H. Moore, insurance	70.58
Clyde Bickford, tractor, labor	22.35
Charles S. Cornwell, labor	11.82
Shirley Sanborn, labor, wood	51.82

Aram Gulumian, labor	15.76	
Russell Benedict, Fire House doors, painting	650.91	
		$906.82

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Joseph M. Heath	$1.00	
Arthur Schaefer	11.82	
		$12.82

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Franklin Hospital	$150.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Ernest Burdick, Chief

Sanborn Fire:		
George Burdick	$10.00	
Fred Rollins	10.00	
Shirley Sanborn	10.00	
Donald Martell	10.00	
Charles E. Douphinett, coal	14.51	
C. P. Stevens Co., supplies	110.21	
W. S. Darley Co., supplies	21.23	
Bridge & Byron, printing	12.50	
E. M. Hunt, postage	2.00	
Mountain Fire:		
Town of Warner	297.44	
Town of Salisbury	281.47	
Ossipee Fire	324.35	
Tenney Coal Co., coal	104.44	
Arthur Schaefer, labor, supplies	149.58	
Ralph H. Moore, insurance	206.75	
Arthur Scott Jr., labor	3.00	
Russell Benedict, labor, supplies	117.62	
Concord Electric Co.	68.67	
Weston Emergency Co., supplies	12.20	
		$1,765.97

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Ellen W. Lively, Health Officer	$31.56

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Summer

District No. 1—Bernard Shaw, Agent

Bernard Shaw, truck, labor	$147.52	
Hale Shaw, labor	41.36	
Thos. Andras, labor	17.00	
George Miller, labor	7.00	
City of Franklin, grader	22.00	
Alan Thompson, loader	144.00	
Harley Shaw, truck, labor	59.64	
		$438.52

District No. 2—Clyde Bickford, Agent

Clyde Bickford, labor	$61.18	
W. B. Worell, labor	12.80	
Joseph Keyser, labor, tractor	39.76	
Paul Martell, labor	8.86	
Herbert Mussey, labor	3.75	
Arthur Scott Jr., labor	8.86	
State of N. H., grader	83.50	
George H. Lovejoy, labor	14.77	
		$233.48

District No. 3—Ray Prince Jr., Agent

Ray Prince, Jr., labor	$46.79	
Raymond Twombly, labor	32.02	
Shirley Sanborn, truck, labor	24.16	
Wm. Foster, truck	81.00	
Paul Jurta, truck	70.20	
Ralph W. Seavey, truck	194.00	
Herbert Scott, labor	9.85	
State of N. H., grader	81.75	
		$539.77

District No. 4—Harley Shaw, Agent

Harley Shaw, truck, labor	$157.09	
Roland Keyser, labor	16.00	
City of Franklin, grader	55.00	
Hale Shaw, labor	17.73	
Joe Keyser, labor, tractor	191.36	
Alan Keyser, labor	46.78	
Fred'k Shaw, labor	62.67	
Paul Jurta, truck, labor	29.55	
Arthur Schaefer, labor	8.85	
Alan Thompson, labor	17.39	
George Lovejoy, labor	11.82	
Aram Gulumian, labor	35.46	
Shirley Sanborn, truck, labor	71.46	
		$721.16

District No. 5—Charles S. Cornwell, Agent

Charles Cornwell, labor	$39.39	
Shirley Sanborn, truck, labor	79.34	
George Lovejoy, labor	15.76	
Aram Gulumian, labor	23.64	
State of N. H., grader	41.00	
		$199.13

District No. 6—Shirley Sanborn, Agent

Shirley Sanborn, truck, labor	$171.14	
Kirk Mock, labor	15.76	
Robert Mock, labor	16.00	
Charles S. Cornwell, labor	54.66	
Aram Gulumian, labor	23.64	
State of N. H., grader	16.00	
		$297.20

TOWN MAINTENANCE

Winter

John Schaefer, labor	$34.41
Fred Shaw, labor	33.89
Hale Shaw, labor	92.09
Nelson Lefbuse, labor	18.00
Jos. Lefbuse, labor	11.42
John Jurta III, labor	55.00
Bernard Shaw, labor, truck	157.52
Orvie Shaw, labor	18.47
Max Andrus, labor	21.00
George Miller, labor	35.00
Thos. Andrus, labor	15.00
Clarence Parris, labor	7.00
Arthur Andrus, labor	19.00
Charles S. Cornwell, labor	142.98
George H. Lovejoy, labor	32.65
Milton Humphrey, labor	11.82
Herbert Webster, team	10.00
Jos. Keyser, labor	58.50
Alan Keyser, labor	20.68
David Keyser, labor	17.73
Martin Kalcik, labor	26.59
Kirk Mock, labor	92.74
Ralph Camp, labor	28.56
C. A. Dorval, labor	14.35
Arthur Scott Jr., labor	61.07
Aram Gulumian, labor	95.68
Russell Benedict, labor	14.77
Clyde Bickford, labor	193.48
Jos. Heath Jr., labor	71.00
Paul Martell, labor	23.46
G. O. Huntoon, labor	49.83
Shirley Sanborn, labor, truck	325.57
Harley Shaw, labor, truck	350.06

DETAILED PAYMENTS (Continued)

STREET LIGHTS

Concord Electric Co.	436.78	
Public Service Co.	233.26	
White Mountain Power Co.	86.00	
		$756.04

GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAYS

Alfred H. Sawyer, rental	$36.00	
R. A. Hebert Co., tire recaps	67.50	
Salisbury Service Station, gas & oil	24.09	
C. P. Stevens Hdw., supplies	247.72	
Bow St. Garage, repairs	325.35	
Rene Beaudoin, salt	15.95	
Robert S. Cunliffe, supplies	28.53	
Fred W. Holmes, gas & oil	66.16	
Frank Heath, gas & oil	8.97	
Ralph H. Moore, insurance	112.90	
C. A. Dorval Co., supplies	73.78	
Jos. Colby, sand	3.50	
Ray Road Equip. Co., supplies	47.89	
Arthur Schaefer, supplies	129.04	
Hooker's Garage, repairs	5.60	
Town of Andover, hauling gravel	8.00	
Ray H. Prince Jr., gravel & lumber	169.56	
Raymond Twombly, boat hire	5.00	
Prison Industries Inc., culverts	549.60	
W. B. Dunlap, gravel	25.00	
Fred Drown, gravel	25.00	
Benson Auto Co., repairs	36.00	
Clarence Ketchum, gravel	7.75	
Eugene S. Daniel, truck ins.	126.55	
Curtis Mooney, bridge work	8.00	
N. H. Explosives Co., supplies	5.88	
		$2,159.32

TOWN POOR

Merrimack County	$271.91	
Henry Bean		
John Longver		
So. Road Market, groceries	20.00	
James Clogston		
So. Road Market, groceries	15.00	
		$306.91

BOUNTIES

George E. Beauly	$52.00	
George H. Lovejoy	5.50	
Aram G. Gulumian	9.00	
		$66.50

CLASS V HIGHWAYS

State:		$2,143.64
Expended	2,130.30	
Unexpended Balance	13.34	
		$2,143.64

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Town's Share	$2,598.61

CEMETERIES

Clyde Bickford, tractor, labor	$38.76	
C. P. Stevens Co., paint, supplies	59.00	
George Lovejoy, painting, labor	70.10	
Charles Cornwell, painting, labor	69.93	
Fred Prince, labor	16.74	
Main Street Store, flags	9.60	
Shirley Sanborn, labor	48.46	
Aram Gulumian, labor, painting	96.23	
		$408.92

DETAILED PAYMENTS (Continued)

NEW CONSTRUCTION

Herbert Benedict, Truck Hire	$59.13
Kenneth Hoar, Truck Hire	59.40
Holmes Bros., Truck Hire	29.70
A. K. Nelson,Truck Hire	84.15
William Foster, Truck Hire	35.10
Bernard Foster, Truck Hire	29.70
Raymond Twombly, Labor	28.07
George Burdick, Labor	2.95
Charles Matavia, Labor	2.95
Ray Prince, Jr., Bulldozer Grading, labor etc.	544.00
State of New Hampshire, Grader	81.75
	$956.90

UNCLASSIFIED

Journal-Transcript, Inc., Town Reports	$388.00

INTEREST

Valley Trust Co.	$162.00

PAYMENTS ON NOTES

Valley Trust Co:	
Payment on Long Term Notes	$1,000.00
Payment on Temporary Notes	9,000.00
Payments to Other Govermental Divisions:	
School District	$13,690.00
County Tax	1,756.88
Social Security	164.91

WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST CONTROL
FINANCIAL STATEMENT
1953

TOWN OF SALISBURY

Town funds expended	$392.80	
Cooperative funds expended	137.88	
Total expended		$530.68
Received from town	400.00	
Expended from town funds	392.80	
Balance due town		$7.20
Area covered		1,159 acres
Currant and gooseberry bushes destroyed		1,466

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Salisbury, N. H., December 31, 1953

DATE OF CREATION	TRUST FUNDS	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Bal. of Income on hand at beginning of year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. of Income on hand at end of Year
1916	Levi Call (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	115.12	6.47	10.00	111.59
1918	Sarah Batchelder (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	71.74	5.15	3.00	73.89
1920	Abbie Bean Howe (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	60.85	3.32	3.00	61.17
1928	Betsey A. Perry (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	34.85	4.02		38.87
1929	Sarah E. Elliott (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	50.00	31.82	2.45	2.00	32.27
1929	Lavina A. Rand (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	200.00	117.27	9.52	11.00	115.79
1931	John W. Horton (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	150.00	74.70	6.74	5.00	76.44
1935	Lucy E. Prince (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	29.47	3.87	2.00	31.34
1935	Abbie M. White (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	250.00	84.52	10.02		94.54
1939	Charles A. Green (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	34.82	4.02		38.84
1943	Marietta E. Huntoon (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	100.00	10.60	3.31	2.00	11.91
1943	John P. Rogers (Cemetery)	Franklin Savings Bank	*	57.39	8.32	3.00	62.71
1947	Daniel Colby Mills Cemetery Trust	Franklin Savings Bank	1,517.33	149.94	50.12	68.00	132.06

*Two shares Bank of America originally priced $89.00

TRUST FUND OF SALISBURY

Amount of Principal, Dec. 31, 1952	$57,587.05	
Balance of Income, Dec. 31, 1952	2,682.14	
Total of Principal and Income Dec. 31, 1952	60,269.19	
Balance of Income Dec. 31, 1952	2,682.14	
Income year ending, Dec. 31, 1953	2,604.31	
		$5,286.45**
Check to Town of Salisbury Dec. 31, 1953	$1,500.00	
Balance of Income, Dec. 31, 1953		$3,786.45
Total of Principal and Income Dec. 31, 1953		$61,373.50
**Bank Book Error		10.00
		$61,383.50

LIST OF STOCKS AND BONDS IN SAFETY DEPOSIT

FRANKLIN NATIONAL BANK

No. Shares	
2	U. S. Treasury Bonds
100	Union Pacific R. R. Shares
66	Chemical Trust Co., Shares
60	Bankers Trust Co., Shares
38	Continental-Ill. Bank and Trust Shares
55	Manufacturers Trust Shares
50	Guaranty Trust Shares
50	First National Bank of Boston Shares

Respectfully Submitted ,

The Trustees of Trust Funds

CLARENCE KETCHUM

CARL MUSSEY

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Salisbury, N. H., Feb. 7, 1954

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Collector and other town officers and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ALFRED H. SAWYER, Auditor

SALISBURY T. R. A.

Philip Nerden, Foreman

Apportionment:		
State	$4,265,23	
Town	639.78	
		$4,905.01
Expended:		
Labor	$3,771.16	
Equipment	541.50	
Materials and Supplies	590.95	
	$4,903.61	
Unexpended Balance	1.40	
		$4,905.01

REPORT SALISBURY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Appropriation		$100.00
Insurance	$8.50	
Kidder Lumber Co.	5.90	
4 Books	5.00	
Repairing Stove	1.45	
Cleaning Pipe	20.00	
N. Dame, shoveling	.25	
Wilcox & Follett	8.00	
Postage and insurance	.26	
Librarian's Salary	50.00	
		$99.36
Balance		$ .64

ROSE LESSARD, Treasurer

FIRE PREVENTION REMINDER

Watch for Ways to Stop Fires Before They Start

1. **Matches.** Keep in metal containers. Away from children. Put out and stamp out if dropped. Same for cigarettes, pipes and cigars.
2. **Papers.** Empty waste baskets. Don't leave papers under stairs or in the privy or anywhere. Papers cause many fires.
3. **Oil and Kerosene.** Don spill and if you do, put sand on floor. Cover oil can. Don't leave near stove. Burn oily rags.
4. **Chimney and Stove Pipe.** Keep repaired and cleaned. Insulate from wood. Clean out soot. Replace when rusted.
5. **Fire Extinguishers.** In barn, in attic, in cellar, in house. Be sure they are renewed regularly. Phone Art Shaeffer to inspect.
6. **Hay and Straw.** Watch if put in damp. Don't use matches near. Clean up if loose on floor.
7. **Wiring.** Watch for loose wires. Have them tested and inspected.
8. **Television.** Keep away from curtains and anything it could set fire to.
9. **Insurance.** The only way to replace your loss. Even a little will bring back something.
10. **Rubbish.** Paper, rags, paint cans, debris. GET RID OF IT.

Save Your Life — Save Your Peoples' Lives

Save Property . . . Yours and Others

For Salisbury's Protection, Your Protection,

Your Neighbor's Protection

Salisbury Board of Fire Commissioners.

Ask Mr. Shaeffer about having your chimney cleaned. Also don't burn grass or brush without a permit. Fine $10.

People Play A Vital Part In Our Forest Fire Problem

A review of the 1953 fire season proves the vital part people play in the never ending battle to prevent forest fires.

In this fire district there were 133 fires in 26 of the district's 30 towns; 409 acres were burned over and it cost $9,499.97 to extinguish them. This figure was reduced somewhat through payment of fire costs by persons responsible for illegal fires, fires which escaped from control and fires caused by their carelessness. Costs were abnormally high this year due to protracted periods of dry weather which increased the difficulty of extinguishing fires.

Eighty-eight percent of the 133 fires were man-caused and could have been prevented. They tell a story which needs to be carefully studied. Some people were careless in disposing of smoking material and camp fires; others burned without the required warden permit—disregarding weather, forest conditions and the normal safeguards recognized and considered by the warden in issuing permits. Other fires resulted from children playing with matches, carelessly handled fireworks, faulty railroad and truck equipment, etc.

These fires cost a lot to extinguish, most of which could have been avoided. This affects taxes; local business was interrupted by men leaving their jobs to extinguish the fires; trees that might otherwise have built houses, repaired bridges and supplied raw materials for local industries were destroyed; seedling growth—the future timber crop was wiped out.

This picture can, however, be reversed if people who offend could be impressed with the importance of observing the simple but essential common sense safeguards that will prevent forest fires. They are:

1. Care in disposing of lighted cigars, cigarettes and matches in and near woodlands.
2. Care in selecting camp fire sites and completely extinguishing them.
3. Consultation with the local forest fire warden before burning to secure the required permit.

People play a vital part in our forest fire problem.

It is EVERYONE'S job to HELP PREVENT FOREST FIRES.

THOS. J. KING, District Fire Chief
FRED ADAMS, Forest Fire Warden

1953 Local Fire Record

Number of Fires 1

No. Fire Permits Issued 36 Acreage Burned 2¾

ASSESSED PROPERTY VALUATIONS FOR 1953

RESIDENTS

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Personal Property	Net Val.
Adams, George B.	70	$1,550		$550
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Adams, Frederick	1	1,500		1,500
Allen, Carlton W.	1	2,000		2,000
Ames, Avis L.	49	1,520	75	1,595
Anderson, Ernest	92	2,100		2,100
Austin, Cleland	1	2,800		2,800
Bailey, Evelyn	1	300		300
Barboza, Anne	30	600		600
Bartz, Robert	10	650	75	725
Beaudet, A. J.	5	1,070		1,070
Beaudoin, Rene	6	2,500	1,150	3,650
Beauly, George E.	100	3,300	950	4,250
Benedict, Russell	9	2,800		1,800
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Benedict, Maxwell	10	30		30
Bernier, Charles	60	1,500		1,500
Bickford, Clyde	140	2,500	650	2,150
Soldier's Exemption	$1000			
Bork, George	121	2,200	875	3,075
Brockstedt, Charles	120	1,700		1,700
Burdick, Ernest	333	1,600	100	1,700
Call, Robert	50	1,500		1,500
Campbell, Beatrice	40	4,000		4,000
Churchill, William	140	1,300		300
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Clarke, Sidney	41	210		210
Clarke, Daisy	162	1,800		1,800
Clogston, James	141	1,300		1,300
Cook, Leston J.	35	900		900
Cornwell, Charles S.	23	1,700	200	1,900
Cornwell, Ralph	1	1,100		100
Soldier's exemption	$1,000			
Creed, Fred N.	8	800		800
Crocker, Laurance	1	3,400		3,400
Cunliffe, Robert A.	1	1,200	800	2,000
S. Oil Co. Pumps			250	250
DeHaro, Newton	1	150		150
Dempsey, Mathew J.	3	1,800		800
Soldier's exemption	$1,000			
Deragon, Louis G.	4	400		
Soldier's exemption	$400			
Doyle, William	1	1,500		500
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Dunlap, Bernard	10	100		100
Dunlap, William B.	1025	4,690		4,690
Durgin, Mary	50	700		700
Eastman, Carrie	21	60		60
Earle, Mary N.	16	1,500	325	1,825

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Personal Property	Net Val.
Emerson, Albert	50	1,200		200
Soldier's exemption	$1,000			
Emerson, George	219	752	100	852
Fellows, Mary	5	50		50
Fellows, Sherman	25	1,000		1,000
Fitts, Ernest	6	150	100	
Soldier's Exemption	$250			
Fitts, Lloyd E.	100	1,500	100	1,600
Flanders, Maud			450	450
Fogarty, Ernest	23	1,255	118	1,373
Fraser, Hugh Est.	141	1,860		1,860
Fredette, Henry F.	2	700		700
Gagne, Joseph	86	550		550
Garside, Fred N.	9	30		30
Gray, Richard M.	1	1,800		800
Soldier's exemption,	$1,000			
Graves, Elizabeth	1	500	300	800
Griswold, Elton	210	2,000		2,000
Gulumian Bros.	170	2,400	600	3,000
Hackett, Florence		200		200
Hansen, Howard	1	2,500		1,500
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Harpaner, Joseph	80	1,400		400
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Heath, Frank	197	1,880	350	2,230
Heath, Joseph	41	1,200		1,200
Heath, Joseph, Jr.	1	900		900
Heino, John	45	800	20	
Soldier's Exemption	$820			
Holmes, Edith	107	1,335		1,335
Holmes, Clarence	83	1,540	375	1,915
Holmes, Fred	8	1,518	25	1,543
Honkala, Walter	49	1,500	60	1,560
Honkala, Rudolph	70	1,000		
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Howell, Boyd	50	400		400
Huntoon, George O.	21	718		718
Huntoon, John A.	722	2,920		2,920
Hunt, Elmer M.	4	2,900		2,900
Humphrey, Milton	150	1,220		1,220
Jurta, John Est.	250	2,550	1,075	3,645
Kearsarge Tel. Co.		2,500		2,500
Kernan, Robert	18	1,000		
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Ketchum, Clarence	40	2,500	850	3,350
Keyser, Joseph	172	1,775	1,010	2,785
Landry, Paul	30	1,000	200	200
Soldier's exemption	$1,000			
LaVergne, U.	2	1,000		1,000
Lepine, Gustave	46	1,275		1,275
Lessard, Rose	110	1,100	610	1,710

VALUATIONS—Residents (Continued)

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Personal Property	Net Val.
Little, Ralph D.	2	400		400
Lively, Ellen	3	600		600
Longver, John	1	150	100	250
Lovejoy, George H.	105	3,600	100	3,700
Lynch, Otis	119	1,600	150	1,750
Manyan, George	21	1,550	20	570
Soldier's exemption	$1,000			
Martel, Hazel	15	800		
Soldier's Exemption	$800			
Mathewson, Manfred Est.	100	300		300
McAlister, Myron	12	1,235		1,235
McAllister, Ellen	6	1,000		1,000
McKenzie, William	60	1,000	75	1,075
McKenzie, Clarence	95	1,500	3,000	4,500
Merrill, Richard	6	200		200
Menard, James	15	560		560
Mock, Kirk	580	1,750	690	2,440
Moscardini, S.	17	500		500
Moscardini, V.	88	2,000		1,000
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Morison, William	25	3,000		2,000
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Moxley, H. A.	183	2,770	1,885	4,655
Mussey, Carl	225	1,680	300	1,980
Nerden, Evelyn	3	100		100
Nerden, Phillip	103	1,450		1,450
Nixon, Donald	1	1,100		100
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,000			
Palmer, Leonard	20	700		700
Parks, D., Jr.	80	1,700		1,700
Parris, Max	7	2,200		2,200
Parris, Clarence	163	1,800		1,800
Patton, Clinton	1	500		
Soldier's Exemption,	$500			
Perreault, Alice	163	1,900		1,900
Peterson, Carl	83	1,650	550	2,200
Pichette, Harry	16	1,500		1,500
Pratt, Daniel	1	100		100
Prince, Harold, Est.	178	4,300		4,300
Prince, Anna	20	200		200
Prince, Ruth	2	1,500		1,500
Prince, Ray H. & Sons	119	2,900	3,926	6,826
Prince, Ray, Jr.	1	1,800		1,800
Prince, Fred	23	1,800	1,512	3,312
Raymond, Ada	1	500		500
Robinson, Eve E.	1	1,800		1,800
Rogers, Ralph	5	1,200		
Soldier's Exemption,	$1,200			
Rowell, Ben		100		100
Sanborn, George	18	1,700		1,700

Name	Acres	Land and Buildings	Personal Property	Net Val.
Sanborn, Leila	1	50		50
Sanborn, Shirley	77	1,350	625	1,975
Sanborn, Raymond		300		300
Sawyer, Alfred	138	3,160	150	3,310
Sawyer, Edward, Est.	325	3,590		3,590
Schaefer, Arthur	46	980	400	380
Soldier's Exemption, $1,000				
Beacon Oil Co.			250	250
Schaefer, John	41	500		
Soldier's Exemption $500				
Schofield, Walter	25	600		600
Scott, Etta L.	10	825	75	900
Scott, Florence	50	800	125	
Soldier's exemption $925				
Shaw, Bernard	128	2,600	2,010	4,610
Shaw, Frederick	191	2,085		2,085
Shaw Harley	160	2,486	250	2,736
Shaw, Orvie	18	1,500	750	2,250
Sheeran, William E.		1,150		1,150
Splain, Henrietta	26	3,000		2,000
Soldier's Exemption, $1,000				
Sweetland, George	180	1,750	75	825
Soldier's exemption $1,000				
Taylor, Charles C.	90	2,750	475	3,225
Taylor, Harry S.	40	1,900		900
Soldier's exemption $1,000				
Terrill, Mary and Harold	4	200		200
Tinker, Elmer	29	600		600
Tinker, Erlene	2	10		10
Turner, Herbert	5	4,000	200	4,200
Twombly, Raymond	9	1,200		200
Soldier's Exemption, $1,000				
Twombly, Lucy	14	500		500
Underhill, Robert	3	1,100		100
Soldier's exemption $1,000				
Verrill, Arthur	27	975		975
Webster, H. E.	444	5,300	3,360	8,660
Webster, Morgia	102	571		571
White, Abbie	268	4,000	485	4,485
Whittemore, Charles	25	1,200		1,200

NON-RESIDENTS

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Net Val.
Acushnett Lumber Co.	225	$900	$900
Wood and Lumber		3,664.50	3,664.50
Aldrich, Emile and Christine	30	300	300
Allen, Charles C.	20	60	60
Angwin, D. W. and Rose		500	500
Annis, George W.		800	800
Arseneault, Marcel	15	50	50
Atkinson, George	100	300	300
Aube, Eva D.	50	150	150
Avery, Sylvia E.	140	420	420
Bacon, Earle F.	1	1,400	1,400
Bailey, Winifred V.	140	280	280
Bennett, Robert W.		100	100
Boucher, Elsie C.	94	475	475
Bradbrook, Alice	20	300	300
Briscal, Vivian	7	700	700
Bryson, Edward	4	25	25
Burroughs, R. P.		1,050	1,050
Campbell, Douglas and Mary	60	2,500	2,500
Carney, Thomas and Florence	120	750	750
Cangiano, Leon and Eleanor	50	150	150
Carrier, Edgar A.		1,400	1,400
Casey, Frances	1	500	500
Casey, Laura M.	3½	250	250
Casey, Timothy	2¼	720	720
Chase, Winifred J.	14	50	50
Colby, Edward G.	155	465	465
Collins, Eva M.	73	220	220
Conservation Inc.	74	222	222
Concord Electric Co.		11,350	11,350
Connecticut River Power Co.		124,200	124,200
Cooper, James	60	300	300
Courtemanche Bros.		75	75
Courser, F. W. Jr.	915	2,358	2,358
Pulpwood		125	125
Cressey, R. W.		900	900
Crowther, Stephen T.		75	75
Currier Heirs	40	120	120
Darling, Millard S.		1,800	1,800
Davis, Erving G.	50	150	150
Dion, Emile	40	120	120
Dow, Alice B.		1,700	1,700
Dow, Harold W.	120	400	400
Drew, Albert E.	25	150	150
Drown, Fred	210	680	680
Drown, Helen R.	80	240	240
Dufield, Clarence L.	12	60	60
Dunlap, Clifton S.	1	700	700
Dunlap, Est., Walter	300	450	450
Durgin, A. C.	100	350	350

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Net Val.
Edmunds, Kendall	100	400	400
Edwards, Clara May		75	75
Edwards, Thomas F.		650	650
Ehrhart, Mrs. Anna B.		75	75
Eigaboth, W. Harris		600	600
Ela Box Co.	75	200	200
Elsworth, Russell	60	200	200
Emerson, Rufus	86	300	300
Ericson, Harold H.	3	2,000	2,000
Fellows, Florence G.	204	1,125	1,125
Fellows, Harry E.	110	350	350
Fletcher, William	2	400	400
Fisher, Archie B.	5	20	20
Fogarty, Carlton	24	75	75
Foote, Jas. R.		700	700
Ford, Robert	40	150	150
Fraser, Samuel M.	50	150	150
Gallant, Charles A.		1,100	1,100
Gardner, Walter C.	334	1,080	1,080
Gerry, Frank and Margaret	6½	1,500	500
Soldiers Exemption	$1,000		
Girard, Joseph M.	1	300	300
Goodhue, Walter G.	91	300	300
Jookin, Roy B.	69	200	200
Gossler, Max F.		3,000	3,000
Gulf, Oil Corp.		300	300
Hanson, George	15	300	300
Hill, C. F.		1,500	1,500
Hill, O. F.	440	840	840
Hale, J. B., Est.	20	250	250
Harris, Harold F.		900	900
Harris, W. C. and Glady H.	6	750	750
Harriman, Alfred M.		200	200
Harriman, Jas. L., exemption $500		1,000	500
Henley, Thos. B.		75	75
Hill, Lura, Lois, Cole	12	650	650
Hibbard, Almira H.		750	750
Hirst G. Whittemore	420	1,260	1,260
Holmes, Frank and Howard	200	1,025	1,025
Holmes, Howard L	160	600	600
Holmes, Vira M.	114	350	350
Holmes, Noome Est.	4	50	50
House, Clarence E.	6	2,500	2,500
Hubbard, Lena W.; Hubbard, Alan W.; Hubbard, Gordon F. (joint tenants)	38	600	600
Hueber, Jeanne	50	150	150
Huggins, Clarence	71	300	300
Jeffers, Frank	38	1,500	1,500
Jones, Warren J.		1,600	1,600
Jurta, John, Jr.	150	450	450
Keneval, Alice L.	40	125	125
Keyser, Harold	2	251	251
Kimball, Leonard P.		1,200	1,200

VALUATIONS—Non-Residents (Continued)

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Net Val.
Kolenda, Zygmunt W.	10	250	250
Kullman, Elton H.		900	900
Leavitt, Harold E.	85	400	400
Leon, Francis		300	300
Lamora, Earl and Esther		700	700
Leonard, John M.		1,200	1,200
Letourneaus, Herman and Theresa		600	600
Little, Ben P.	214	750	750
Little, J. W. Est.	60	180	180
Malmburg, Carl	9½	280	280
Martin, Horace A.	25	75	75
Martin, George G.		200	200
Martin, George	10	50	50
Marshalla, Joseph	30	100	100
Mathewson, Hugh	7	25	25
McDonald, Martin F.	115	950	950
McCorry, Francis	20	60	60
McKeouen, W. J.		500	500
McKerley, David R. and Mary L.		100	100
Mitchell, Thomas E. and Hazel		800	800
Morgan, Reginald	3	800	800
Morrill, Leon and Edna	7	1,025	1,025
Nichols, Dorothy, M. W.	1	25	25
Noelte, Albert and Mildred	26	4,550	4,550
Norris, Charlotte A.		700	700
Patch, Norris	80	200	200
Pearson, Robert, Jr.	50	300	300
Pierce, Emma J.	13	900	900
Prescott, Frank D.	35	150	150
Prest, A. L. P.	252	825	825
Priest, H. B.		700	700
Prentiss, Hugh L.	½	125	125
Prince, Clyde S.	22	200	200
Public Service Co. of N. H.	145		15,283
Ramsey, Cranmore and Lora B.	20	200	200
Ranson, Horace N.	200	1,000	1,000
Rayno, Marjorie	3	250	250
Regan, Margaret	10	1,000	1,000
Reich, Priscilla H.		75	75
Retter, H. W.	145	500	500
Richards, G. A.	8	250	250
Roby, Robert	90	200	200
Rogers, Edith O.	4	500	500
Rogers, Winston C.		700	700
Rowell, Carlson J.	3	150	150
Sanborn, Stanton	40	150	150
Sanborn, Ned D	45	305	305
Sawyer, Harry E.	65	200	200
Sargent, John A.	15	150	150
Schoonman, William R.	4	50	50
Santoro, John	100	350	350
Shaw, Lewis C.	66	280	280

VALUATIONS—Non-Residents (Continued)

Names	Acres	Land and Buildings	Net Val.
Smart, Calvin R. Jr.	6	100	100
St. George, Mildred	100	1,500	1,500
State of N. H., Exempt	697	3,300	3,300
Stepanick, Joseph and Stephen	3	10	10
Stone, Lloyd		100	100
Swain, Walter Est.	7	100	100
Sweetser, Edwin H.	7	100	100
Temple, Richard M. and Doris M.		800	800
Theiss, Walter		600	600
Tibbetts, Edward H.	45	400	400
Torrey, Anthony J.		700	700
Touchette, A. M.	20	100	100
Tucker, James		150	150
Tucker, Raymond C.	124	370	370
Tuttle, Buelah E.	120	700	700
True and Noyes	308	1,025	1,025
VanAlstyne, W. Scott, and Margaret H.	5	50	50
Webster, Harry L. and Olive R.		75	75
White Mt. Power Co.		1,200	1,200
West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co.	380	1,140	1,140

Property acquired by the United States of America for Flood Control. Taxes paid by the State of New Hampshire, to and including tax year 1956.

Name Description	Acres	Value
Cassidy, H. O., A. P. Smith land	35	$100.00
Cayce, B. T., A. P. Smith land and building	6	800.00
Clarke, Daisy, Plain Land	16	50.00
Clarke, Daisy, Part of Home Place	25	200.00
Cummings, O., Sanborn land	30	90.00
Cummings, O., Ox Bow lot	15	120.00
Cummings, O., Holmes & Smith land	125	375.00
Corser, F. W., Buzzle land	42	100.00
Corser, F. W., Stevens meadow	22	100.00
Corser, F. W., Kilburn Plain land	50	160.00
Corser, F. W., L. Cook land	10	35.00
Corser, F. W., J. M. Greeley Plain land	20	65.00
Corser, F. W., Greenough field	15	50.00
Corser, F. W., Swampwood lot	18	65.00
Corser, F. W. Stone land	16	200.00
Dearborn, Alice J., Greeley meadow	10	60.00
Dion, Emile, Part of L. Sawyer's Est.	10	100.00
Drown, Fred, Home Place	36	900.00
Drown, Helen, L. W. Tucker Place	21	223.00
Drown, John, Part of Home Place	103	450.00
Dunlap, W. B., Rogers land	77	260.00
Frost, Leslie, Mose Colby land	12	60.00
Glines, N. J., S. C. Stevens Place	8	100.00
Goodhue, C., Est., Couch Pasture	9	300.00
Gookins, Roy B., Home Place	73	1,000.00
Heath, Frank, Plain land	54	270.00
Huntoon, John, Plain land	10	100.00
Little, Ben. P., Batchelder & Rogers meadow	8	24.00
Little, Ben. P., Fitts Meadow	20	100.00
Little, Ben P., Plain land	15	100.00
Little, Edward, Fisk Meadow	5	50.00
Little, Nellie M., Meadow land	5	50.00
McAlister, C. O., Land and Buildings	98	1,700.00
Pearson, Vina D., Plain Land	30	400.00
Phelps, Ina D., Meadow Land	5	50.00
Rand, Walter, Plain Land	60	450.00
Rogers, John P., Home Place	60	300.00
Shaw, Lewis C., Stevens Plain land	16	80.00
Shaw, Lewis C., Heath Meadow	15	50.00
Shaw, Ella M., Potash	4	40.00
Stevens Bros., Land and Buildings	50	900.00
Taylor, Jennie M., Plain Land	8	150.00
Taylor, Jennie M., Fred Clough land	12	50.00
	1,249	**$10,827.00**

Taxes Paid by State of N. H. to and including year 1957

Name	Description	Acres	Value
Berry, Eunice J., N. J. Glines land		5	$80.00
Burbank, Ellen M., Bean land		85	460.00
Glines, Leroy A., J. H. Heath land		10	50.00
Huntoon, John A., Plain land		13	115.00
Locke, Lora E., Heath land		450	540.00
McAlister, C. A., A. P. Smith land		19	90.00
McAlister, Myron, Bean land		7	50.00
McCurdy & Ranney, Sawyer Plain land		15	50.00
Pearson, Robert, Burbank land		110	350.00
Stevens, Justin T., Plain land		5	25.00
		725	$1,810.00

Taxes Paid by State of N. H. to and including year 1958

Name	Description	Acres	Value
Anderson, Arthur T., Stone land		16	$200.00
Currier, W. J., Eastman plain land		30	300.00
Moxley, Howard A., Huntoon land		47	400.00
Rand, Gilbert F., M. T. pasture		7	50.00
Rogers, John, Home place		36	250.00
Sawyer, Alfred, Part of Home place		44	300.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., Minad land		10	30.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., Call land		30	100.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., Greely plain land		60	200.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., N. Sawyer Est.		65	500.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., J. Ladd land		18	60.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., F. T. Colby land		10	30.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., Rawleigh land		5	75.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., Batchelder plain land		15	45.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., J. P. Rogers land		20	80.00
Sawyer, Ed., Est., T. R. Little plain land		30	100.00
		443	$2,720.00

Taxes Paid by State of N. H. to and including year 1959

Name	Description	Acres	Value
Elliot, Grace D., Plain land		75	$450.00
Huntoon, John P., Part Home place		35	1,500.00
Hubbard, Willis A., A. F. Hubbard Est.		11	165.00
Little, Sherman, Hoyt land		4	100.00
Rand, Gilbert, Part of Home place		85	600.00
Rogers, John M., Scribner land		3	25.00
Public Service Co., Tract No. 45, No. 76		125	2,550.00
Stevens, John M., Batchelder orchard		4	100.00
		237	$5,425.00

Taxes Paid by State of N. H. to and including year 1960

Name	Description	Acres	Value
Adams, George B., Wolf Hole land		15	$60.00
Burbank Bros., Potash		25	100.00
Concord Lumber Co., F. Roger land		100	400.00
		140	$560.00

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

Feb. 1, 1954

SCHOOL BOARD

William C. Morison, Chairman	Term expires March 1954
Frieda Bork	Term expires March 1955
Norma C. Lovejoy, Clerk	Term expires March 1956

DISTRICT OFFICERS

Frederick L. Adams	Moderator
Rose Lessard	Treasurer
Rose Lessard	Clerk
Alfred H. Sawyer	Auditor

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

William B. Hounsell

Office at 1 Merrimack Street, Penacook. Office is open on all school days from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 noon and from 1:15 p. m. to 4:30 p. m. Appointments can be made through the clerk. Phone 48, Penacook, N. H.

TRUANT OFFICER

Norma C. Lovejoy

TEACHERS

Mrs. Maud C. Prince, Grades 1-4	South Road
Miss Thelma Chaffee, Grades 5-8	Heights

SCHOOL NURSE

Miss Ruth B. Whitcomb, R. N.
209 South Street, Concord, N. H., Phone Concord 2098-W

SCHOOL WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Salisbury qualified to vote in district affairs:

Polls will be open from 1:00 p. m. to 6:00 p. m.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 6th day of March 1954, at 1:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

7. To choose Agents, Auditors, and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

SCHOOL WRARANT (Continued)

9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to contract for high school tuition costs.

10. To see if the district will vote to petition the State Tax Commission to have an audit made by the Division of Municipal Accounting and to make an appropriation to cover the expense of such audit. (Estimate $100.00)

11. To transact any other business which may legally come before such meeting.

Given under our hands at said Salisbury this 10th day of February, 1954.

Wm. MORISON
FRIEDA BORK
NORMA C. LOVEJOY
School Board of Salisbury

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

Wm. MORISON
FRIEDA BORK
NORMA C. LOVEJOY
School Board of Salisbury

SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING

Salisbury, N. H.

Town Hall, March 7, 1953

At the time and place mentioned in the warrant the legal voters of the School District of Salisbury met and transacted business as follows:

Meeting called to order at 1:15 P.M. by the Moderator, Frederick L. Adams, who read the warrant.

1:20 P.M. Polls declared open for balloting for election of officers under articles 1, 2, 3, and 4 in the warant.

Article 5. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded that salaries of school board and other officers remain the same as last year. Declared by Moderator to be carried in the affirmative.

Article 6. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded to accept the reports as printed in the town reports. Declared by the Moderator to be carried in the affirmative.

Article 7. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded that this article, together with Articles 8 and 9 be passed over, to be taken up later in the meeting. Declared by the Moderator to be carried in the affirmative.

Article 10. Motion made to the effect that teachers in Salisbury schools be reimbursed for part of expense incurred attending summer school. A voice vote was taken which proved unsatisfactory, a written ballot was then taken which resulted as follows No 22, Yes 14. The Moderator declared vote in the negative.

Article 11. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded that the School Board be authorized to pay up to, but not more than the Stae average for tuition on students attending school outside the District. Declared by the Moderator to be carried in the affirmative.

SCHOOL DISTRICT MEETING (Continued)

Article 12. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded to pass over this article. Declared by Moderator to be in the affirmative.

Article 8. Voted by voice vote on motion made and seconded that $15,613.22 be raised and appropriated to cover the school budget. Declared in the affirmative by the Moderator.

Polls declared closed at 4:00 P.M., the counting of ballots being as follows:

For Moderator: Frederick L. Adams 46, Frederick L. Adams declared elected.

For Clerk: Rose Lessard 46, Rose Lessard declared elected.

For Treasurer: Rose Lessard 46, Rose Lessard declared elected.

For School Board: Norma Lovejoy 36, E. Bartz 1, E. Beauly 1, Mary Sawyer 1, Ruth Parris 1, Norma Lovejoy declared elected.

For Auditor: Alfred Sawyer 27, Elmer Hunt 2, George Beauly 1, Alfred Sawyer declared elected.

Meeting adjourned at 5:00 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSE LESSARD,

Clerk.

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

1952-53

To the School Board and Citizens of Salisbury:

It is a privilege to report to you once again the condition of your local schools; and to commend you for your generous financial support of them.

Continuous emphasis upon the subject of education is but a natural function of administration officers in that particular field and is their obvious responsibility; their proposals for school improvements are, therefore, to be expected. When local communities support such proposals and thereby assist in developing better schools, then educational opportunities are enlarged and children may profit thereby.

It is pleasing to note that much individual instruction is going on day by day at both your schools so that the children are being given special attention. This is an ideal situation and is very helpful to the pupils. Knowledge is acquired by individuals only through their own efforts; but the encouragement of children to pursue knowledge, each in accordance with his own interests and aptitudes, within the atmosphere of pleasant school rooms and under the direction of competent teachers, is very satisfying to those interested in the growth of the child.

I wish to speak of the audio-visual aids which are being used this year. They mean much to the child both as a source of information and as a pleasant relaxation; they are invaluable as a teaching device.

The testing program which is being used is helpful in recognizing both the accomplished achievement and the mental potential of the children. It is but another device to assist the teacher in learning to know more about the pupils whom she is trying to help.

There has been marked improvement in the art work of the children this year as shown by the frequent displays in the class rooms. This tends to encourage the natural expression of the individual which may result in the discovery of unknown aptitudes of the child.

Basic instruction in the subjects of reading, writing, arithmetic, social studies, and the language arts, is being given a lot of attention by the teaching staff and is a commendable fact.

The health of the children is being adquately cared for through the services of a competent school nurse; the hot lunch, so important to growing youth, is contributing to the physical development and vigor of the children and is helpful in keeping them strong and well. I am glad to know that because of the resourcefulness of the people that it will be continued in spite of the misfortune of the fire that almost destroyed the building recently.

There are one or two things I would like to recommend to you for your consideration for the coming year.

I believe there should be some new desks at the Heights School next year if there are any available funds to purchase them. You have seen how such equipment improved the South Road School room. New desks, and I prefer moveable ones for several reasons, would greatly improve the appearance of the room, and modernize to a large extent the method of group instruction which can be made so effective under the direction of a competent teacher.

I also believe that you, as a community, should consider raising the salaries of your teachers next year, and I have proposed a budget figure which will provide for this increase. They are well worth the money and could not be replaced at these figures.

It would also be well to repair the swings at the Heights School so that the children could make better use of them. The bent cross-bar could be removed and a new one inserted at no great expense.

To those people who continue to work untiringly for the development and improvement of our schools we all owe much more than we at first realize. Local citizens who serve on the School Committee, lay people who give of their time so willingly, teachers who serve so faithfully, are deserving

of commendation and praise for the services they render to a worthy cause.

Let us never forget that our schools are among our first responsibilities as a community, that they are one of the basic foundations of our American Democracy, and they deserve our serious consideration and strong support.

Again I wish to express my appreciation to teachers, School Board members and citizens of Salisbury for their help during the past year and to request their continued aid and encouragement.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. HOUNSELL

Superintendent of Schools

January 29, 1954

BUDGET OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SALISBURY, N. H.—1954-55

Expenditures Item	Adopted Budget 1952-53	Actual Expenditures 1952-53	Adopted Budget 1953-54	School Board's Budget 1954-55	Budget Comm's Budget 1954-55
Administration					
Salaries district officers	$100.00	$100.00	$100.00	$100.00	$100.00
Supt's salary, local share	161.25	151.25	148.35	175.08	175.00
Tax for state wide supervision	164.00	164.00	162.00	148.00	148.00
Salaries of other administrative personnel	105.00	115.00	118.70	134.55	134.55
Supplies and expenses	95.25	131.50	120.00	126.79	126.79
Instruction					
Elementary teachers' and & principals' salaries	4,400.00	4,400.00	4,400.00	4,800.00	4,600.00
Books and other instruction aids, elementary	150.00	109.95	100.00	75.00	75.00
Scholars' supplies, elem.	200.00	175.40	200.00	175.00	175.00
Supplies and other expenses, elementary	150.00	175.02	50.00	100.00	100.00
Operation of School Plant					
Salaries of janitors, elementary	152.00	148.00	152.00	152.00	152.00
Fuel or heat elementary	425.00	443.79	425.00	425.00	425.00
Water, light, supplies and expenses, elementary	100.00	158.06	120.00	120.00	120.00
Maintenance of School Plant					
Repairs and replacements, elementary	350.00	391.25	150.00	100.00	100.00

SCHOOL BUDGET (Continued)

	Adopted Budget 1952-53	Actual Expenditures 1953-54	Adopted Budget 1952-53	School Board's Budget 1954-55	Budget Comm'ts Budget 1954-55
Auxiliary Activities					
Health supervision, elementary	265.00	254.04	271.50	276.00	276.00
Transportation, elem.	2,650.00	1,660.00	1,650.00	1,953.00	1,953.00
Tuition, high	6,025.00	5,987.09	6,975.00	6,250.00	6,250.00
Special activities and special funds, elementary	25.00	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00
School lunch, elem.	0.00	8.83	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fixed Charges					
Retirement, elementary	163.06	160.77	160.77	198.49	198.49
Insurance, treas. bonds & expenses, elementary	110.00	62.25	185.00	100.50	100.50
Capital Outlay					
New equipment, elem.	100.00	111.98	100.00	100.00	100.00
Budget Deficiency	250.00				
Total Expenditures or School Appropriation	$16,140.56	$14,908.18	$15,613.22	$15,534.41	$15,334.41
Receipts Item					
Balance (actual or estimated)		$1.18	$500.00		
State aid	$1,700.00	1,162.07	1,000.00	$1,700.00	$1,571.57
Elementary school tuition		61.32			
Other	3.00	32.03	3.00		
Total Receipts Other Than Property Taxes	$1,703.00	$1,256.60	$1,503.00	$1,700.00	$1,571.57
District Assessment Raised Or To Be Raised By Property Taxes	14,437.56		14,110.22	13,834.41	13,762.84
Total Appropriation Voted By School District	$16,140.56		$15,613.22	$15,534.41	$15,334.41

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts July 1, 1952 to June 30, 1953

From Federal Government		
National School Lunch		$8.83
From State of New Hampshire		
Equalization		1,162.07
Local Taxation		
Current Appropriation	$14,190.00	
Special Appropriation	250.00	
Balance of Previous Appropriation	3.39	
		$14,443.39
Other Sources		
Elementary Tuition	$61.32	
Sale of Desks and Old Books	14.70	
Chichester School District	476.76	
Louden School District	801.21	
Wilmot School District	169.95	
Filing Fees	2.00	
Boston and Maine Railroad	6.50	
		$1,532.44
Total Net Receipts		$17,146.73
Cash on Hand July 1, 1952		1.18
Total Amount Available		$17,147.91

SCHOOL PAYMENTS SUMMARIZED

Administration		
1. Salaries of District Officers	$100.00	
2.*Superintendent's Salary (local share)	151.25	
3. Tax for State Wide Supervision	164.00	
4. Salaries of Other Personnel	115.00	
5. Supplies and Expenses	131.50	
		$661.75

*Superintendent's Salary
State pays $2,275.00, Union pays $3,025.00
The Union apportionment is as follows:

Andover 19.5%	$589.87
Boscawen 21.3%	644.33
Chichester 7.8%	235.95
Louden 12.8%	387.20
Penacook 29.8%	895.40
Salisbury 5%	151.25
Wilmot 4%	121.00
	$3,025.00

Instruction		
6. Teachers' Salaries	$4,400.00	
7. Books and other instructional aids	109.95	
8. Scholars' Supplies	175.40	
9. Supplies and Other Expenses	175.02	
		$4,860.37
Operation of School Plant		
10. Salaries of Janitors	148.00	
11. Fuel	443.79	
12. Water, Light, Supplies	158.06	
		$749.85
Maintenance of School Plant		
13. Repairs and Replacements		391.25
Auxiliary Activities		
14. Health Supervision (Union) (local share $254.04)	$1,620.84	
15. Transportation	1,660.00	
16. Tuition (High)	5,987.09	
17. Special Activities—Lunch Program	8.83	
		$9,276.76
Fixed Charges		
18. Retirement (local and Union) (Local share $160.97)	$241.89	
19. Insurance and Bonds	62.25	
		$304.14
Capital Outlay		
23. New Equipment		$111.98
Total Payments for All Purposes		$16,356.10
Cash on Hand June 30, 1953		791.81
Grand Total		$17,147.91

BALANCE SHEET JUNE 30, 1953

Assets

Cash on Hand June 30, 1953	$791.81
Accounts due District	0.00
Total Assets	$791.81
Net Debit	0.00
Grand Total	$791.81

Liabilities

Accounts owed by District	$0.00
Total Liabilities	$0.00
Surplus	791.81
Grand Total	$791.81

PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

ADMINISTRATION

1. Salaries of District Officers

William K. Morison, Chairman	$25.00	
Freida Bork, Board member	25.00	
Norma C. Lovejoy, Clerk	30.00	
Rose Lessard, Treasurer	15.00	
Alfred H. Sawyer, Auditor	5.00	
		$100.00

2. Superintendent's Salary (local share)

Olive Edmunds, Treasurer	151.25

3. Tax for State Wide Supervision

Winfield Phillips, Treasurer	164.00

4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel

Olive Emunds, Treasurer	$105.00	
Norma C. Lovejoy, Truant Officer	10.00	
		115.00

5. Supplies and Other Expenses

Brown and Saltmarsh	$5.06	
Edson C. Eastman	1.84	
Olive Edmunds, Treasurer	112.25	
Paul Farnum, Treasurer	3.00	
Journal-Transcript, Inc.	9.35	
		131.50

INSTRUCTION

6. Teachers' Salaries

Alice F. Kenevel	$1,708.40	
Director of Internal Revenue	613.20	
New Hampshire Retirement System	185.00	
Maud C. Prince	1,893.40	
		4,400.00

7. Books and Other Instructional Aids

Ginn and Co.	$13.04	
Laidlaw Bros.	85.62	
Lyons and Carnahan	11.29	
		109.95

8. Scholars' Supplies

Allyn and Bacon	$3.62	
American Education Press	25.30	
Ginn and Co.	6.04	
J. L. Hammett Co.	3.84	
Hazen Printing Co.	22.00	
Milton Bradley Co.	71.88	
Row, Petersen and Co.	2.38	
Scott, Foresman and Co.	36.16	
Webster Publishing Co.	4.18	
		175.40

10. Supplies and Other Expenses

Olive Edmunds, Treasurer	$4.17	
Educators Progress Service	10.85	
Maud C. Prince, Summer School	100.00	
University of New Hampshire	60.00	
		175.02

OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT

11. Salaries of Janitors

Alice F. Kenevel	$74.00	
Maud C. Prince	74.00	
		148.00

12. Fuel

Courtemanche Bros.		443.79

13. Water, Light, Supplies

Frieda Bork	$ .50	
Beckley-Cardy Co.	5.85	
Concord Electric Co.	65.07	
Dan's Pharmacy	3.75	
Industrial Paper and Cordage Co.	23.21	
J. I. Holcomb Mfg. Co.	49.55	
Milton Bradley Co.	10.13	
		158.06

MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT

14. Repairs and Replacements

Beckley-Cardy Co.	$49.88	
Frieda Bork	10.00	
Courtemanche Bros.	34.12	
Olive Edmunds, Treasurer	1.25	
Johns-Manville Corp.	7.97	
E. J. Keegan and Co.	250.00	
C. P. Stevens Co.	38.03	
		391.25

PAYMENTS IN DEATIL (Continued)

AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES

15. Health Supervision

Robert O. Beaudet, M. D.	$39.00	
Director of Internal Revenue	97.70	
New Hampshire Retirement System	114.30	
Ruth B. Whitcomb, R. N. (Local share $214.63)	1,369.84	
		1,620.84

16. Transportation

C. S. Cornwell	$735.00	
Arthur Schaefer	925.00	
		1,660.00

17. Tuition

Andover School District	$156.35	
Concord Union School District	94.99	
Franklin School District	4,600.00	
Penacook Union School District	685.75	
Simonds Free High School, Warner	450.00	
		5,987.09

18. Special Activities

School Lunch, Gladys Parks, Mgr.	8.83

FIXED CHARGES

19. Retirement

Olive Edmunds, Treasurer	$17.63	
New Hampshire Retirement System (Local share $143.55)	224.26	
		241.89

20. Insurance and Bonds

A. W. Frost Agency	62.25

CAPITAL OUTLAY

21. New Equipment

Beckley-Cardy Co.	$104.95	
Olive A. Edmunds, Treasurer	5.00	
Norma C. Lovejoy (American Express Co.)	2.03	
		111.98

Grand Total	$16,356.10

WILLIAM K. MORISON, Chairman
FRIEDA BORK
NORMA C. LOVEJOY

REPORT OF SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1953

Cash on hand July 1, 1952	$1.18
Received from Selectmen	
Current Appropriation	14,440.00
Balance of previous appropriation	3.39
Received from State Treasurer	
State Funds	1,162.07
Federal Funds	8.83
Received from other sources	
Tuition	61.32
From all other sources	1,471.12
Total amount available for the year	$17,147.91
Less School Board Orders Paid	16,356.10
Balance on hand June 30, 1953	$791.81

ROSE LESSARD,
June 30, 1953 District Treasurer

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Salisbury of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953 and find them correct in all respects.

Sept. 12, 1953

ALFRED H. SAWYER

Auditor

GRADUATES OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

June 1953

Donald C. Brockstedt — Charles Cole
Albert L. Sanborn — Ella P. Drew
Edith H. Keyser

PUPILS IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Fall Term 1953

FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL

Raymond Bailey, Grade 12 — Richard Beaudet, Grade 11
Allen Keyser, Grade 12 — Bernice Call, Grade 11
Richard LaVergne, Grade 12 — Frances Kernan, Grade 11
David Manyan, Grade 12 — David Keyser, Grade 11
Donald Martell, Grade 12 — James Minard, Grade 11
Joyce Weatherman, Grade 12 — Harlean Shaw, Grade 11
Edward Beaudoin, Grade 10 — George Manyan, Grade 10
Donald Brockstedt, Grade 9 — Edith Keyser, Grade 9
Eileen Fleury, Grade 9 — Albert Sanborn, Grade 9
Carol Shaw Grade 9

SIMONDS FREE HIGH SCHOOL, WARNER

Robert Mock, Grade 12 — Sarah Mock, Grade 11

PENACOOK HIGH SCHOOL

Joan Boland, Grade 12 — Thomas Adams, Grade 11
Keith DeHaro, Grade 12

Pupils Neither Absent Nor Tardy in the Salisbury Schools September 1952 through June 1953

Edith Keyser, Grade 8 — Heights School
Lawrence Call, Grade 5 — Heights School

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1954-55

Schools open—Wednesday, September 8.

Teachers' Convention, Thursday, Friday, October 14, 15.

*Holiday—Armistice Day, Thursday, November 11.

Holiday—Memorial Day, Monday, May 30.

Schools close—Thanksgiving Vacation—Wednesday, November 24th.

Schools open—Monday, November 29th.

Schools close—Christmas Vacation—Thursday, December 23rd.

Schools open—Monday, January 3rd.

Schools close—Winter Vacation, Friday, February 18th.

Schools open—Monday, February, 28th.

Schools close—Friday, April 22nd.

Schools open—Monday, May 2nd.

Schools close—Thursday, June 16th. (or after 180 full days are completed).

*At option of local school boards

ANNUAL SCHOOL NURSE REPORT

1952-1953

The School Health Department gives the following report:

Number of pupils examined 39

	Defects	Corrections
Teeth	17	3
Tonsils	4	
Glands	7	2
Vision	2	1
Skin	2	2
Speech	1	
Orthopedic	1	1

Special Work

Fluorine and Cleaning (Teeth)	42
Individual Inspections	350
First Aid	21
Tuberculin Skin Test	14
Immunizations (Toxoid)	4
Orthopedic Clinic (Manchester)	1

Communicable Diseases

Chicken Pox	20	Measles	5

DR. ROBERT O. BEAUDET,
School Physician

RUTH B. WHITCOMB, R. N.
School Nurse

TABLE OF REGISTRATION AND ATTENDANCE FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1953

SCHOOLS	Length of school in weeks	Whole No. different pupils registered			Average Daily Attendance	Average Daily Absence	Average Daily Membership	Per cent of Attendance	No. of Cases of Tardiness	No. of Visits by Superintendent	No. of Visits by School Nurse	No. of Visits by School Board	No. of Visits by Citizens & others	No. of Pupils not Absent or Tardy
		Total	Boys	Girls										
South Road	37	20	11	9	18.48	1.52	20	92.40	6	6	9	4	80	0
Heights	37	26	16	10	23.71	1.81	25.52	92.88	1	6	18	4	52	2
Entire District	37	46	27	19	42.19	3.33	45.52	92.64	7	12	27	8	132	2

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALISBURY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1953

Date and Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of marriage	Age in Years	Occupation of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of Each	Name of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation	1st, 2nd or 3rd Marriage	Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married
April 25 Manchester	Ernest C. McKenzie	Salisbury	26	Army	Salisbury	William McKenzie	Prince Ed. Is.	Farmer	1	Rev. Franklin P. Frye Manchester, N. H.
						Nellie Rogers	Prince Ed. Is.	Housewife		
	Pearl C. Chandler	Manchester	29	Shoe Shop	Newbury	James Corteau	Mass.		2	
						Marion Gay	Mass.	Housewife		
Aug. 14 Concord	Elmer Martell Jr.	Salisbury	21	Railroad	Salisbury	Elmer Martell	Manchester	Railroad	1	Rev. Archibold Kerr Concord, N. H.
						Hazel Richardson	Salisbury	Housewife		
	Margueritte Verrill	Tilton	19	Laundry	Tilton	Albert Verrill	Me.		1	
						Pearl Ricker	N. H.	Housewife		
Aug. 14 Concord	Eugene W. Sanborn	Salisbury	21	Railroad	Salisbury	Shirley Sanborn	Salisbury	Farmer	1	Rev. Archibold Kerr Concord, N. H.
						Helen Lowell	Salisbury	Housewife		
	Elsie M. Verrill	Tilton	18	Laundry	Tilton	Albert Verrill	Me.		1	
						Pearl Ricker	N. H.	Housewife	1	
Sept. 12 Franklin	John Armstrong Jr.	Holderness	24	Carpenter	Mass.	John C. Armstrong	Canada		2	
						Mary Willoughby	N. H.			
	Constance Ketchum	Salisbury	21	At Home	New York	Clarence Ketchum	Nova Scotia	Poultryman	1	Rev. George Reinelt Franklin, N. H.
						Jennie Brown	Nova Scotia	Housewife		

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES E. WHITTEMORE, Town Clerk

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALISBURY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1953

Date of Birth	Place of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Male or Female	No. of Child 1st, 2nd, etc.	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 30	Concord	Joseph M. Heath, III	M	2	Joseph Heath Jr.	Ruth Kay	Truck Driver	Warner	Deighton, Mass.
Feb. 26	Concord	Grace Skillin	F	1	Robert M. Skillin	Helen Raymond	U. S. Army	Bangor, Me.	Lewiston, Me.
April 4	Laconia	Marty D. Moscardini	M	2	Valentino Moscardini	Nancy Maness	Meat Cutter	Mass.	N. H.
May 9	Franklin	Vikki Honkala	F	2	Rudolf Honkala	Barbara Hastings	Store Owner	N. H.	Maine
July 20	Franklin	Charles Bartz	M	7	Robert K. Bartz	Isabel Fogarty	Tannery	Mass.	Maine
July 20	Concord	Lorelei Schaefer	F	2	Arthur John Schaefer	Barbara Bailey	Laborer	Mass.	N. H.
Oct. 29	Franklin	Linda Jane Patten	F	2	Dennis H. Patten	Urbina M. Terrill	Tannery	Bristol	Stewartstown
Nov. 21	Concord	Velma Charles	F	3	Byron Charles	Glenice Raymond	Construction	Maine	Maine
Dec. 22	Franklin	LuAnn Shaw	F	1	Frederick Shaw	Marjorie Papineau	Welder	Salisbury	N. H.

Color in all cases: White.
Residence of parents each case: Salisbury

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CHARLES E. WHITTEMORE, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SALISBURY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1953

Date of Death	Place of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Single, Married, or Widowed	Occupation	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
			Years	Months	Days						
Feb. 9	Salisbury	Katherin Q. Porter	74	4	8	East Orange, N. J,	F	S	Proofreader	Alfred Porter	Mary Blue
Mar. 7	Salisbury	Elizabeth Towne	78			Madred, N. J.	F	W	Housewife	Joseph Minor	Elizabeth Benoray
May 8	Salisbury	Vincent Wood	75			Willis, Michigan	M	M	Carpenter	Edward Wood	Olive E. Sherbondy
June 28	Salisbury	Blanche B. Fellows	82			Wilmot, N. H.	F	M	Housewife	Frank H. Whittemore	Almeda Purrington

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